

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Garcia, *et al.*
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Title: WELLBORE DRILLING SYSTEM AND METHOD

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 19, 2010

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of January 19, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.